

**Appointment of Special Prosecutor under Chapter 978**

- ☐ The district attorney for \_\_\_\_\_ County requested the appointment of a special prosecutor under §978.045, Wis. Stats.
- ☐ An affidavit was filed with the Department of Administration.
- ☐ The court on its own motion is appointing a special prosecutor under §978.045, Wis. Stats.

**THE COURT FINDS:**

1. Attorney \_\_\_\_\_ is appointed special prosecutor for:  
☐ The period \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, plus reasonable preparation time.  
☐ The matter of: State of Wisconsin ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
vs. \_\_\_\_\_, Case No. \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The reason for the appointment:  
☐ There is no district attorney for the county.  
☐ The district attorney is absent from the county.  
☐ The district attorney is unable to attend to duties due to a health issue or has a mental incapacity that impairs ability to perform duties.  
☐ The district attorney has a conflict of interest under statute: \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ The district attorney is serving in the U.S. armed forces.  
☐ The district attorney is charged with a crime and the governor has not acted under §17.11, Wis. Stats.  
☐ The district attorney is on parental leave.  
☐ Other statutory reason: \_\_\_\_\_. Cite statute: \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Compensation is set at the following rate:  
☐ No compensation is to be paid because this person is from another prosecutorial unit or an assistant attorney general.  
☐ Hourly rate specified in §977.08(4m)(b), Wis. Stats.  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Disbursements shall be submitted to \_\_\_\_\_ County for payment, if incurred.
5. The Department of Administration shall pay the compensation ordered by the court.

**BY THE COURT:**

**> Send a copy of this Appointment to:**

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| 1. Director<br>State Prosecutor's Office<br>Department of Administration<br>P.O. Box 7869<br>Madison, WI 53707-7869<br>Telephone: (608)267-2700 | 2. Agency<br>responsible for<br>paying<br>disbursements. |
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\_\_\_\_\_  
Circuit Court Judge

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title (Print or Type Name if not eSigned)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date